

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 4 as follows:

Cross-Reference to Related Applications

This application is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 10/287,285, filed on November 4, 2002, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,674,634, which is a division of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/705,976, filed on November 3, 2000, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,522,525, the specifications of which are incorporated by reference herein.

This application is related to U.S. Application Serial No. 09/706,447, filed on November 3, 2000, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,699,265, entitled FLAT CAPACITOR FOR AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE, which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 7 as follows:

Notably, the exemplary embodiment provides each of modules 324 and 334 with three anodes placed between one or more separators and at least one cathode placed adjacent one of the separators. (Figure 3 shows the separators cross-hatched.) However, the invention is not limited to any particular module arrangement. Indeed, some embodiments of the invention use other (greater or lesser) numbers of anodes as well as modules. Moreover, some embodiments mix modules of different arrangements within the same capacitor case. This allows greater flexibility in exploiting the space available in the case as well as the housing. For more details, see co-assigned and co-pending U.S. patent application ~~which is entitled Mixing of Multiple Anodes within a single aluminum Electrolytic Flat Capacitor (attorney docket 279.264US1)~~ Serial No. 09/706,447, filed on November 3, 2000, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,699,265, which is incorporated herein by reference.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 26 as follows:

This arrangement can be made by providing two (first and second) aluminum case bodies having the desired curved portions, placing capacitor modules in the first case body, and welding a cover to the first case body. Other capacitor modules can then be stacked and placed in the second case body. The cover of the first case body is then put on the opening of the second case body and welded in place. For further details, see co-pending and co-assigned U.S. patent application ~~which is entitled Multi-Compartment Electrolytic Capacitor (attorney docket 279.264US1)~~, Serial No.09/706,447, filed on November 3, 2000, now issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,699,265, and which is incorporated herein by reference.